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ALEXANDRIA, VA.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 7.

THE CONSERVATIVE MEETING held in Liberty Hall, last night, was presided over by Mayor Latham, and was a very large and enthusiastic one. It was addressed by Judge Sinclair, of Prince William, and Messrs. S. C. Neale, one of the Conservative candidates for the Legislature, Joel Miller, A. C. Kell, Wm. Kilgour, Gov. Smith, J. M. Steuart, and others. The very best feeling prevailed. The speeches made by the gentlemen named were animated and eloquent and gave great satisfaction and elicited continued applause from the whole assemblage. We have never seen a political meeting better conducted.

The accounts in the books of a Buffalo clerk became so mixed as to excite the suspicions of his employers, who commanded him to "strike a balance." Instead, however, the young defaulter struck a "bee line" for parts unknown on Wednesday, leaving behind the usual confession, in which he forgot to give the amount embezzled. He remembered, however, to take an additional \$250 for "present necessary ex-

The Washington Chronicle is insinuating that a "rebellious" spirit is rising in Virginia -that there is a talk of "war," -and more of such stuff and nonsense. Is it intended to "Ku-Klux." Virginia too-like South Carolina? Are preparations being made?"

The remains of the late Mrs. George W. Riggs, who died in London, October 14th last, in the fifty-sixth year of her age, arrived in Baltimore, yesterday, by the steamer Ohio, which left London on the 21st ultimo, and were interred in Washington to-day.

Gov. Davis, of Texas, is making the property-holders of Limestone county, which he declared in a state of insurrection, pay forty niture factory was destroyed by fire. Loss thousand dollars to cover the expenses of the \$90,000; insurance \$60,000. State military employed in that county.

James C. Welling, L. L. D., was yesterday D. C. An appropriate address was delivered and was taken into custody. by Dr. Samson the late President, and Dr. Welling made an able inaugural speech.

The death of Col. David Stanton, Auditor General of Pa., was caused by the injection into his arm of a small quantity of morphine, which was done to ease the pain he felt from erysipelas

A father in New York, a worthy man, driven mad by the misconduct of his daughter, hung himself on the day of her marriage to the person who had ruined her.

Both branches of the Legislature of Georgia has been made for him. have passed resolutions denouncing the course

The report about the resignation of Secretary Fish has again been started, and this time it is assumed the duties of Mayor of Baltimore, her husband taking a second wife was that he said; with some show of truth.

Rev. E. B. French states that the losses in Chicago cannot compare with the horrors of the Northern conflagrations.

The Legislature of the District of Columbia is called to meet in extra session on Wednesday,

To-day elections were held in nine of the claimed.

NETHERLANDS' COLONIES.—Great Britain has finally acquired the Dutch settlements in Sumatra and on the coast of Guinea. The Dutch were the first European settlers in Sumatra, and located there at Pulo, or Poelo, on the west coast, in 1600. They got Padang in 1666, and then increased its area by negotiations. In 1824 they exchanged Malacca with England for Bencoolen. The whole population of the island is about 5,000,000, and the leading interest is rice cultivation. The Dutch dominion comprised 143,332 square miles and 1,634,000 population; but the administration has always been left to native chiefs, and the revenues have not paid expenses. The African territory comprises 10,664 square miles. with about 100,000 inhabitants, and Axem and Elmina are the principal settlements, and are in Upper Guinea. The whole coast line of Guinea is about 3,000 miles; and now England has only to acquire the French colonies at Assine and Great Bassam to govern the whole. The consideration paid is not stated.

AN ENRAGED FATHER. -This morning about 11 o'clock, Thomas Carroll, of this city, entered a bar-room kept by Isabella Rix, and demanded to see his daughter, Rosa, who for some time had been an occupant of the house. On being informed she had left the place, Mr. Carroll became so enraged that he drew a pistol and fired through a door leading into a room occupied by several females, fortunately, inflicting no damage. Isabella Rix fled into the street, followed by Carroll, who fired upon her, shooting her through the right arm. But for her taking refuge in an adjoining grocery, she would, doubtless, have been killed by the desperate father. After wounding this woman, he fired several shots at parties occupying windows in the house. He was arrested by citizens, and delivered by them into the hands of the authorities, and will, doubtless, be tried to morrow. Richmond State Journal.

SUICIDE OF TWO YOUNG GIRLS .- Great excitement prevailed in Lewiston, Me., last Friday, over a remarkable case of suicide, by which two young girls perished. About one o'clock, Ada Brown, of Buckfield, and Anna Wood, of Hartford, were seen strolling along the banks of the Androscroggin, towards the falls. They were engaged in earnest conversation and there was nothing unusual in their appearance to attract observation. On arriving at the falls. they divested themselves of their outer clothing inserted a few days ago, though addressed to and deposited it earefully upon the rocks. After a few moments passed in deep meditation, for publication. they clasped their arms around each other, and sprang into the deepest channel of the river. Not a cry escaped them as they took the fatal leap, but with faces turned heavenward the unfortunates plunged into the boiling flood. No state of Maryland.

the last few days in the election contest in the ments of instruments, the points already estimated by the noise captured the ments of instruments, the points already estimated by the noise captured the ments of instruments, the points already estimated by the noise captured the ments of instruments, the points already estimated the ments of instruments.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

To show the very age and body of the Times.

A counterfeiters' den near Kansas City was broken up last Saturday, and two men were arrested, and Harry Cole and Josiah D. Myer, the latter the leader of the gang, were captur-ed, but escaped while the officers were examining the house. The officers captured one one thousand dollar bank note, plain, and two ten dollar bank notes, four fifty et. plates, two sets of engravers' tools, ten transfer rolls and bed pieces, two transfer and five printing presses, \$8.500 in counterfeit bills, and a quantity of fibre paper the same as used by the Government.

Judge Busteed, at Montgomery, Alabama, sitting in a Court of Bankruptcy, has granted an order declaring the Alabama and Chattanooga Railroad Company bankrupt. He appointed Col. Gindrat the receiver, heretofore sides, which sometimes slope inward gradually appointed by the State authorities as custodian State now runs the road two hundred miles, and, it is said, will have the whole road in a day or two in active operation.

The steamboat Wade Hampton, from Vicksburg, for New Orleans, sprung aleak and sunk opposite Donaldsonville yesterday. No lives were loss. She has a cargo of 16 bales of cotton, 60 hogsheads of sugar, 100 barrels of molasses, and 2,800 sacks of cotton seed. Most of the cargo will be saved in a damaged condition. The boat may be raised. The boat is valued at \$60,000; insured in Western and Northern offices for \$30,000.

The news of the disaster to the whaling fleet caused an advance in whale oil in Boston, from sixty ets. to one dollar per gallon, with no disposition of holders to sell. The Boston insurance offices had little, it any, risks on the property lost. The New Bedford offices lose \$1,000,000, which they can pay and have a surplus left.

R. C. Bernheim, alias Williams, alias Watson, alias Cassidy, was arrested in New York yesterday, charged with raising a draft on Howe & Marcy from \$30 to \$3,000, and obtaining the money on it. He is also wanted in throw the water to various heights, and are Washington, D. C., and by Clark & Co., bankers, of Philadelphia, for alleged forgeries.

In Philadelphia, on Saturday, a fire destroyed Wattson & Clark's phosphate works. Loss, \$150,000; insurance, \$130,000; divided among thirty-six companies. The National, of Balti-more, loses \$2,500, being the only sufferer have to exercise his imagination very much

At a Radical meeting at Montgomery, Ala., last night, an anvil being used as a cannon, exploded, killing two men, mortally wounding two or three others, and badly hurting several others. This unfortunate accident ended the

The paper mills at Brookville, Indiana, were burned yesterday. Loss \$75,000; insurance \$25,000. In London, Canada, yesterday, a fur-

John Nevins, a clerk in the Register's office, in New York, was arrested yesterday, charged

During a fight in New York, yesterday, betheir house, Kinney struck Ryan on the head

It is feared that Rev. J. T. Goodrich, of Connecticut, was among these who perished in the Chicago conflagration. A fruitless search

Home, the spiritualist, has been married to and conduct of Bullock, the late Governor of the youngest daughter of His Excellency the late Basil de Gloumeline, counsellor of State of the Emperor of Russia.

Joshua Vansant took the oath of office, and

VIRGINIA NEWS.

A suit against the city of Petersburg, involving some twenty-seven thousand dollars, commenced about eighteen years ago, to recover damages for freight destroyed by fire in the old lindeed, looking so exactly alike, that it was al-City Point depot, was compromised last Frimost a case of mitigated bigamy. It must day, by the city paying \$7,000, and receiving a receipt in full for the damages as they used to say "our piano" or "our

The Court of Appeals, yesterday, granted a writ of error in the case of George Cahoon vs. the Commonwealth. All the Judges were present except Judge Joynes. The motion for a new trial will be argued in a few days.

Two religious conferences are at present being held in Norfolk, Va.-the Methodist Protestant Conference and the Christian Confer-

the course of a political quarrel between two rival candidates for office in France, that one of the parties to the dispute, a friends of Gamthe authority to make contracts, farmed out the contract for soldiers shoes to a cotton-town-pensioned and pastured her out. spinner, the contract for cannon to a thread merchant, and the contract for cavalry horses to a manager of a theatre. Bourbaki's army was thus supplied with cannon that burst, with shoes that fell to pieces after a few days' use. with horses that broke down after ten hours' march, and with cartridges which contained no powder, or, containing it, never exploded. -After such a development, it is hardly necesdefeat of this army.

COMMUNICATED. I send you extracts from a letter just received from an old student of the "Alexandria Boarding School" from the interior of Virginia: "I will get you to secure for me ten copies of "Benjan's work, Hallowell's ('econetrical

chance whatever of getting subscribers get the people with whom I live, but I think the schools and seminaries all over the country, where they know the worth and merit of the author, will heartily take it up. "I hope for good results, for I do not see how any one could read the "introductory note" without becoming deeply interested in the work and greatly desirous for the consummation of the plane of its noble author.

regar s—nay, my love—for it is not unove another to whom one owes so much, as I do to him. Truly yours, &c.' I do not give the writer's name, as I am sure it would wound his delicacy, to see his name published, to that which was written in the overflowings of a private letter. R. H. M.

The letter from Winchester, on this subject.

The Wonders of the Far West.

A member of the scientific expedition under charge of Professor Hayden of the United States Geological Survey, in a remarkably interesting letter to the Philadelphia Press, written from the Yellowstone Lake, gives some descriptions of the physical wonders with which that region abounds.

In two days the party examined, mapped and recorded the temperature of over three hundred geysers and hot springs, embraced within an area of five miles. They vary from 110 deg. F. to the boiling point, which in that elevated region is only 198 deg. F. No idea can be conveyed of the exquisite beauty of these springs, The correspondent states that they are of all sizes, reaching even a diameter of 400 feet and a depth that is unfathomable. The edge presents us with a series of scallops arranged with the utmost regularity, while the ad interim, and appointed November 27th as and perpendicularly, are corrugated and often and forward to him reliable data corroborative the day for the election of an assignee. The encrusted in the most varied manner. Looking into one of the cavities, filled with water clear as crystal, the tint seen is a most beautiful blue, like the clear blue of a stainless sky when the color is most intensified. Every cavity seems lined with a portion of the heavens, convoluted and rolled over the projected ridges on the sides of the spring, each one of which throws back the sunlight broken into its constituent colors.

Around each spring extends a vast deposit of licious material of a pure white color, on which the streams flowing from it can be traced by the red deposit of iron which lines their oeds. A number of springs of low temperature are lined with the same deposit of iron. With the exception of three springs, there is no sulphur apparent in that region.

There is also a number of mud springs, the mud being of all colors, white, red, pink, and blue, and of all degrees of consistency. steam escaping through the mud reduces it to an extreme degree of fineness, and, in pushing its way through some places, throws it back in forms resembling the leaves of a lilly. It is also often projected to a considerable height.

The geysers are described as being the most interesting feature of the whole region. They intermittent in their action. Each has its own regular period of action; some spout every ten minutes, some every hour, and others only once in twenty hours. When not playing some are perfectly quiet, while in others the water boils and surges all the time. In the morning, says to think himself in some great manufacturing centre, for vast columns of steam rise about him in all directions. One of them threw up a column of water of over ten feet in diameter to a height of more than two hundred feet, the water falling to the ground with a thud that fairly made it shake. It is a land filled with

Morrors of Mormonism.

Grace Greenwood in New York Times. You are struck by the great number of chil dren everywhere here. Some houses absolute-In Philadelphia, yesterday, Wm. H. Oskins ly overflow with them; some tables are murdered his wife. They have lately lived un- embowered in "olive branches." The differhappily, and she has repeatedly left him, owing to ent sets get along very well together generally, and De Haven Lance, of the city of Norfolk, installed as President of the Columbian College, his drunkenness. He made no attempt to escape, but that is little wonder, after the miracle of agreement between the mothers. Polygamy ies not seem to spare women the cares of maternity. I know a Mormon household in which two middle aged wives count about two with an attempt to steal a number of deeds dozen children between them. I took two litand vouchers, and was committed in default of the fair-haired girls for twins, and they were a sort of polygamic twins, born almost at the and by which he expects to revolutionize transsame time in the same house, of different mothers. It seems to me that the children tween Mary Kinney and Margaret Ryan at here do not look as happy and bright, as in our towns; I tancy that the little girls at least, with a teacup, fracturing her skull. Ryan was sent to the hospital in a dying condition. Ryan was lave something of the subdued, repressed look sent to the hospital in a dying condition. of their mothers. But some few of them are pretty, and nearly all neatly and comfortably dressed. I hear that they have very good schools, and are under good discipline at home, answering to the roll-call at night, and duly ionoring their father and their mothers.

Many Mormon wives are sisters, and it is said they get along quite harmoniously. The at a certain day, and these announcements very nature of women seems to be changed were so regularly followed by a positive denial by here, and turned upside down and inside out. An intelligent "first wife" told a Gentile neighbor that the only wicked feeling she had about did not take her sister, who wanted him, or rather a share in him. She would have liked to have the property kept in the family. saw, the other day, a pair of young wives, sisters, walking hand-in-hand, dressed alike in every particular, of the same height and complexion, and of the same apparent agemost a case of mitigated bigamy. It must that "there was no answer to the Tribune's arseem queer, even to them, to say "our husband," | tiele.

The most singular and unnatural marriages here are those of men with their wives' mothers. These are not unfrequent. It strikes me | ted is Mr. George William Curtis of New | this is a seditious plot against immemorial domestic authority, the most ancient court of feminine appeal—that it is an attempt to do away with mothers-in-law. When young wives are taken, the three or four or five do not always become one flesh, there is sometimes rebellion and even hostility on the part of the old wife. Occasionally a husband objects to having a second wife imposed on him. I heard WAR JOBS IN FRANCE. - It has come out in of one the other day who, though he finally submitted to the command of the imperial Brigham, that he should take and provide for a certain poor woman-"a lone, lorn cretur"betta's during the war, and to whom was given | declared that he couldn't "a bear her," and at

The Coming Eclipse.

The mysterious "corona" will soon be serutinized again with the finest instruments and closest skill of modern science. On the 12th of December there will be another total eclipse of the sun. Astronomers will have to go further sary to go very far in search of causes of the to see it than they went to see the eclipse of last year. The south of Europe was the necessary point of observation for the latter, but the coming phenomenon must be viewed from the southern extremity of Java. It will be visible from the ocean off the coast of Arabia, subsequently from the northern parts of Sumatra and Australia, and likewise from some of the islands of Polynesia, but Java is selected as the best station; thither some of the most experienced English and French observers have resolved to make their way.

Prof. Harkness made the famous observations at Des Moines, Iowa, Aug. 74 1869, the inferences from which at first discredited by foreign experts, in the matter of the elements or nature of the sun's corona, were subsequently assented to by many of them, and are understood to have been confirmed by Prof. Harkness, from his observation in Sicily of the eclipse of last year.

Our readers will remember that the data gathered on that occasion were less satisfactory than had been hoped, mainly because of the cloudy weather. This misfortune proved entirely fatal to the success of several parties at different stations, and hence prevented that, full collation of testimony so important to the establishment of scientific truth. Still, enough

tablished, and the lesson of past failures, will combine to improve the chance of success, and the report of our own astronomers will be compared with curiosity with the accounts of the approaching eclipse, that may be expected to come to us from Asia not long after the advent of the new year. -N. Y. Times.

THE ESPY THEORY OF ARTIFICIAL RAIN. the Northwest has reopened the discussion of a grave physical and economic problem. Many years ago Professor Espy advanced the hypothesis that, in dry and rainless seasons, the desponding farmer might produce artificial rain for his withering and blighted crops, by kindling large fires and conflagrations. He urged that it was better for the community of suffering agriculturists to burn portions of their woodland than to see the supply of bread cut off and the whole soil scorched to death. When the distinguished meteorologist had published his views, many admiring friends of this gentleman until lost to view, and again descend abruptly in the rural districts took the pains to collate of his theory, and it is impossible to read a tithe of them without being convinced that, under certain favorable circumstances, such as a calm atmosphere and a high dew point, rain is induced by artificial combustion, even on a very limited scale. In numerous instances copious showers, restricted, however, to very small areas, fell over and around the region of fal low or wood burning, to the great relief of the

If there ever was an opportunity for testing the Espy theory on a grand scale it has been afforded in the late wide spreading forest fires of the Northwest and in the awful conflagration of Chicago. No such artificial burning was ever known, and it would seem that if the hypothesis in question were correct, as practically extended to large districts as Mr. Espy proposed to extend it, the flames which since August have been ravaging the States of Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan should have caused seas of rain, and should have proved self-extinguishing many weeks ago. Such, we know,

has not been the case. The theory proceeded upon the supposition that the artificial heat, by causing an ascending current of air and a centre of rarefaction, would induce the inrush of air from all sides, which would also ascend, be cooled, and thus precipitate its moisture. It is highly questionable whether the facts as reported from the Northwest bear out the reasoning, and there is much reason for believing that Professor Espy's generalization was deduced from an insufficient number of details, and left out some essential counter-considerations. - N. Y. Herald.

NORFOLK MANUFACTURING COMPANY. Judge Blow, of the Circuit court for Norfolk county, has granted a charter for the above company, which has been organized for the purpose of manufacturing railroad cars and wheels, marine and stationary engines, boilers, eastings, and all kinds of manufactures composed of wood and iron; also to build and repair steamboats, barges and other vessels.

The company has purchased the property Parks general agent: B. F. Tebault, treasurer near the mouth of the Occoquan, being that purt Parks, general agent; B. F. Tebault, treasurer; secretary. The capital is \$250,000.

preparing to build steam canal boats for the Northern canals, and expects to introduce such improvements as will adapt them to their trade. Mr. Lance has also devised a steam-engine, which combines great simplicity with economy portation by the introduction of steam on all the canal boats. Arrangements are now being made to construct quite a number of boats on plans of Mr. Frick with these engines. Norfolk Journal.

RUMORED RESIGNATION OF SECRETARY FISH. - The correspondents in writing and telegraphing from this city to the New York papers have so often declared that Mr. Fish was to resign the portfolio of the State Department those who had the best right to know every-Fish will resign immediately on his return from New York, where he has gone to vote at the election to-day, and that his successor had been determined on. The President last night declined to see any one on the subject, and his

In a quarter usually well informed, it was believed last night that the rumored resignation has, at last, some foundation in fact, and that the successor referred to as having been selec-York, the president of the Civil Service Com-mission.— Wash. Chron. for the deferred instalments, and the title to be retained until the purchase money is fully paid.

PRIZE FIGHT TRAINING .- The two brutal individuals, Mace and Coburn, who have been matched against each other for a prize fight, to come off within a hundred miles of New Orleans on the 30th of November, have gone into regular training, which will be continued without intermission until the day of the battle. There is something in this prize fight training that is suggestive to invalids or to persons of weak constitutions. We find, for instance, that Coburn rises at six o'clock precisely, takes a sharp walk of four miles, breakfasts on a chop or steak, walks ten or twelve miles, returns, is rubbed down, eats a fremendous dinner, rests a while, takes a couple of hours', exercise stell a sparring, handling the Indian class etc.; ab a while, takes a couple of hours' exercis as sparring, handiin the Indian cluss. the Indian clubs, etc.; a five o'clock takes and her four mile walk, at six I takes a light supper, to be the supper of tires to bed. There is no deviation from this other lands: in a high state of cultivation. The course, and the result is that at the end of a farm has been divided into three tracts, and will month he is prepared to give blows that would kill any ordinary man, and to receive such with intounity as would put an end to the life of he paid in cash, and the residue in three equal

of education throughout the Czar's vast do-and conveyancing at the expense of the purel ii. O. CLAUGITON, minions, and, judging from the statistics published, there was great need of some such action. In 1856, with a population of 65,000, 000, Russia had but 450,000 pupils in her schools. According to the last census her population amounts to about 78,000,000, and if the increase in school attendance kept pace with the population, the number of children been confined to the exclusive use of the Russian language, the people in the western part of the empire having a decided aversion for the national tongue. Russia has excellent colleges what she now requires is to bring within the

The letter from Winchester, on this subject, inserted a few days ago, though addressed to the writer of the above, was not sent by him for publication.]

The Post Master General and the First Assistant Postmaster General have been engaged for the last few days in the last few days in the election contest to what the conduction to fire it an alarm was made. Lyons seized to five it to five into the pistol, and a desperate struggle ensued, to five it in the pistol, and a threattened to five it in the first to five it in the pistol, and a threattened to five

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

ALEXANDRIA MARKET, Nov. 7.-The Flour market continues quiet, with limited transactions. Wheat is quiet; offerings to-day of 160 bushels white and 904 bushels red; sales of fair white at 147, and of red at 130 for ordinary, 140 to 148 for fair, 150, 153, 155 and 156 for good, and 163 and 164 for prime. Corn is dull and lower: The enormous combustion in the vast fires of offerings of 301 bushels mixed, with sales at 60 and 62 for new, and 70 for old. Oats are quiet; receipts light; sales to-day of small lots at 49,-Rye is steady; sales at 90.

> PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, NOVER. 1. SUN ROSE...... 6.34 | MOON RISES...... 0.37

SUN SETS...... 4.53 Schrs E R Kirk and J J Ward, Jersey City,

o American Coal Co.

SAILED. Steamer Wawaset, Fowlkes, Currioman, by Potomac Ferry Co. Schrs E R Kirk and J J Ward, Jersey City. by American Coal Co.

MARRIED.

On the 25th of October, at "Signal Hill," Han-

over county, Va., the residence of B. L. Winston, esq., Major JOHN M. LEE to NORA D. youngest daughter of Dr. Bankhead, of Orange ounty. Va. DIED. At "Argyle," Stafford county, Va., the resi-lence of her husband, Mathew B. Pollock, on

the 24th of October, KATE DAINGERFIELD, daughter of Fielding Lewis, esq., in the 23d year of her age. AUCTION SALES. DRUSTEE'S SALE OF A VALUABLE I FISHERY ON THE POTOMACRIVER.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Charles county, Maryland, sitting as a Court of Charles county, Maryland, sitting as a Court of Equity, the undersigned, as trustee, will offer, at public sale, in front of the Mayor's office, in the city of Alexandria, Va., on SATURDAY, the 11th day of November, 1871, between 12 and 1 o'clock p. m., that FISHERY, on the Potomacriver, in said county, known as "THORN'S GUT," of which Samuel Land, late of Alexandria, died seized and possessed.

The Fishery of reserved in the sale of the

The Fishery, as reserved in the sale of the farm heretofore made, comprises a lot of land of several acres at the lower end of the farm, embracing the HOUSES attached to the Shore, and the beach, the entire extent of said farm up the river, with the right of way thereto.

Terms: The terms of sale, as prescribed by the decree and further decree of the Court in the premises, are: One-fourth of the purchase-money in cash, or as much more as the purchaser may desire to pay, and the remainder in 6, 12 and 18 months, in equal instalments, to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, bearing in-terest from the day of sale, with security, to be approved by the trustee.

JOHN W. MITCHELL, Trustee.

Charles county, Md., oet 27-eots

VALUABLE TRACT OF LAND FOR SALE .- Under authority of the decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, Va., rendered at its November term, 1869, in the suit of Susan Allison, Guardian, vs. William Allison et al., the subscriber, as Commissioner of said The company has purchased the property adjoining the city known as the Atlantic Iron Works, and have organized by the election of the following officers: M. Courtwright, of Penn., president: W. L. Lance, of Penn. Parks, general agent; B. F. Tebault, treasurer; and De Haven Lance, of the city of Norfolk, ecretary. The capital is \$250,000.

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equal instalments at six and twelve months from the day of sale, with interest; bonds of the purchaser to be given for the deferred payments, and title retained assecurity for their payment. The property, in the meanwhile, will be for sale by private contract, and if not thus sold, will be offered as above.
S. FERGUSON BEACH,

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By Green & Wise, [Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

COMMISSIONERS SALE OF PRINCE
STREET PROPERTY.—In execution of
a decree of the Circuit Court of Alexandria co., rendered at November term, 1868, in the suit of Mary King vs. John R. Wooster, the under-signed will effer for sale, at public auction, on SATURDAY, the 11th day of November next, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Mansion House. in the city of Alexandria, a LOT OF GROUND in the city of Alexandria, a LOT OF GROUND in the city of Alexandria, with the THREE-STORY BRICK HOUSE thereon, bounded as follows: Beginning 92 feet west of Union st. and 29 feet 10 inches south of Prince street, and thing connected with the matter, that the public became wearied of the ever-recurring subject. The latest and most positive assertion in relation to the matter appears in the New York Tribune of variance street, that the public became wearied of the ever-recurring subject. The latest and most positive assertion in the New York Tribune of variance street, and the public became wearied of the ever-recurring subject to memory south of Tribune street, and the public became wearied of the ever-recurring subject. The latest and most positive assertion in truming thence north with a line parallel to Union street, and binding upon an alloy 20 feet to memory south of Tribune street, and truming thence north with a line parallel to Union street, and binding upon an alloy 20 feet to memory south of Tribune street, and binding upon an alloy 20 feet to memory south of Tribune street, and binding upon an alloy 20 feet to memory south of Tribune street, and binding upon an alloy 20 feet to memory south of Tribune street, and binding upon an alloy 20 feet to memory south of Tribune street, and binding upon an alloy 20 feet to memory south of the public street to memory south of the public str relation to the matter appears in the New Street 17 feet 9 inches; thence south parallel to York Tribune of yesterday which says that Mr. Union street 44 feet linehes, more or less; thence west parallel with Prince street 16 feet 9 inches, more or less; thence south parallel to Union st. 22 feet 4 inches, more or less; thence west paral-lel to Prince street 6 feet 4 inches; thence north parallel with Union street 5 feet 10 inches to the outhern extremity of a line of board fence sepreply to a request for information about it was, that "there was no answer to the Tribune's article."

arating the lot from the line of the lot conveyed by John C. Vowell to Samuel H. Devaughn; thence along the said board fence and the wooden gate conflected with it, 32 feet 1 inch to the

beginning.
Terms: One third of the purchase money in eash, and the residue in two equal instalments at six and twelve months from the day of sale, with interest; the purchaser to give his bonds Stamps and conveyancing at the cost of the

S. FERGUSON BEACH. W. ARTHUR TAYLOR.

A FAIRFAX CO., NEAR THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, FOR SALE.—By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for the county of Fairfax, rendered in the suit of Mason vs. Ma-son and others, the undersigned, commissioners, will sell on SATURDAY, the 11th day of November next, at 12 o'clock in., in front of the Mansion House Hotel, in the city of Alexandria, tile, a portion of it being rich messlow land. The farm is delightfully situated in an excellent neighborhood, and adjoining "Huntley" and

be sold as a whole or subdivided to suit pur-Terms: One-fourth of the purchase money to

EDUCATION IN RUSSIA.—The Russian government is taking means to further the cause M. D. BALL, Comm'rs.

Fairfax county, oct 9-2awts

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